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25X1 1. [] In the absence of Representative Glenard
Lipcomb, I talked with his Administrative Assistant Melvin Miller
with respect to the Congressman's interest in []. It was
25X1 Miller's suggestion that I try to reach Mr. Lipcomb tomorrow when
he might be more readily available. In the meantime, we will prepare
a list of points to be used by the Congressman in answering a query
he has on [].

25X1 2. [] Talked with Representative Roman C.
Pucinski regarding Representative James Scheuer's resolution calling
for the establishment of a "Congressional Commission on the Role of
Congress in Foreign Policy and Intelligence Activities." I told Mr.
25X1 Pucinski that we were thinking of making a direct approach to Mr. Scheuer
not to discuss him with regard to his commission proposal but to brief
him with respect to the committees of the Congress which have oversight
over the Agency as well as the National Security Council and the President.
Mr. Pucinski thought this was a good idea and did not believe that
Scheuer would react negatively to our approaching him in this way. In
passing, Mr. Pucinski mentioned that obviously Scheuer had not come
up with this idea strictly on his own. (Scheuer is a freshman congressman
and in Pucinski's opinion not familiar enough with the situation to do
this on his own. However, Pucinski regards him as an intelligence and
reasonable individual.) Mr. Pucinski feels further that someone in his
district (the Bronx) prepared this and brought him to this position.
Mr. Pucinski suggested that we invite Scheuer out for breakfast and brief
him.

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